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SENATOR JOHN MILKOVICH TAKES OATH OF OFFICE AS NEW DISTRICT 38 STATE SENATOR

John Milkovich is the new state senator for Senate District 38. The Keithville Democrat is one of eleven new members sworn in during an organizational session of the Senate at the State Capitol in Baton Rouge.

"I am humbled and honored to represent Senate District 38," said Sen. Milkovich. "It will take the people of Louisiana working together to make our state better, and the people of our district have the integrity, courage and core values to lead the way."

Senator Milkovich said his priorities this term include fighting abortion, defending traditional marriage, protecting the right of citizens to express their faith, abolishing common core and strengthening Second Amendment protections.

"I'm praying for wisdom in the enactment of the state budget, to protect taxpayers, working families and small businesses, and create an environment in which the economy will grow, and new jobs will be created. It is also vital to reaffirm our Second Amendment Rights. Disarming law-abiding citizens does not make them safer. It places them at greater risk from violent criminals," added Sen. Milkovich.

The newly seated senator is a practicing attorney in the Shreveport area. He is a graduate of the University of Montana and the Louisiana State University Paul M. Hebert Law Center. He is a member of a number of organizations including the Shreveport Bar Association, the Louisiana Association for Justice and the National Rifle Association.

Senator Milkovich and his wife Carola have one daughter, Sarah. He attends Shreveport Community Church where he serves on the Board of Directors. He is also a former board member and chapel worker at the Shreveport Bossier Rescue Mission.